

Fill in this information to identify the case:United States Bankruptcy Court for the:
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXASCase number (if known): **16-35225** Chapter **7**☒ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 201

Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

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If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write the debtor's name and the case number (if known). For more information, a separate document, Instructions for Bankruptcy Forms for Non-Individuals, is available.

1. Debtor's name **Northwind Energy Partners, LLC**
2. All other names debtor used in the last 8 years
Include any assumed names, trade names and *doing business as* names
3. Debtor's federal Employer Identification Number (EIN) **2 6 - 3 8 7 1 9 3 5**
4. Debtor's address
- | | |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Principal place of business | Mailing address, if different from principal place of business |
| 1811 Bering Drive | |
| Number Street | Number Street |
| Suite 400 | |
| | P.O. Box |
| | |
| Houston TX 77057-3186 | |
| City State ZIP Code | City State ZIP Code |
| Harris | Location of principal assets, if different from principal place of business |
| County | |
| | Number Street |
| | |
| | City State ZIP Code |
5. Debtor's website (URL) **www.NWINDLLC.com**
6. Type of debtor
- ☒ Corporation (including Limited Liability Company (LLC) and Limited Liability Partnership (LLP))
- ☐ Partnership (excluding LLP)
- ☐ Other. Specify: _____

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10. Are any bankruptcy cases pending or being filed by a business partner or an affiliate of the debtor?

☐ No☒ Yes.Debtor Northwind Gulf Coast LLCRelationship BusinessDistrict Southern District of TexasWhen 10/18/2016

MM/DD/YYYY

Case number, if known 16-35227

List all cases. If more than 1, attach a separate list.

Debtor _____

Relationship _____

District _____

When _____

MM/DD/YYYY

Case number, if known _____

11. Why is the case filed in this district?

Check all that apply:

☒ Debtor has had its domicile, principal place of business, or principal assets in this district for 180 days immediately preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any other district.

☐ A bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partner, or partnership is pending in this district.

12. Does the debtor own or have possession of any real property or personal property that needs immediate attention?

☒ No

☐ Yes. Answer below for each property that needs immediate attention. Attach additional sheets if needed.

Why does the property need immediate attention? (Check all that apply.)

☐ It poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable hazard to public health or safety.

What is the hazard? _____

☐ It needs to be physically secured or protected from the weather.

☐ It includes perishable goods or assets that could quickly deteriorate or lose value without attention (for example, livestock, seasonal goods, meat, dairy, produce, or securities-related assets or other options).

☐ Other _____

Where is the property?

Number _____ Street _____

City _____

State _____

ZIP Code _____

Is the property insured?

☐ No

☐ Yes. Insurance agency _____

Contact name _____

Phone _____

Statistical and administrative information

13. Debtor's estimation of available funds

Check one:

☐ Funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors.

☒ After any administrative expenses are paid, no funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors.

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14. Estimated number of creditors
- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1-49 | <input type="checkbox"/> 1,000-5,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 25,001-50,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 50-99 | <input type="checkbox"/> 5,001-10,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 50,001-100,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 100-199 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10,001-25,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> More than 100,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 200-999 | | |
15. Estimated assets
- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$0-\$50,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001-\$10 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001-\$1 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001-\$100,000 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001-\$50 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001-\$500,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001-\$100 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001-\$1 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001-\$500 million | <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion |
16. Estimated liabilities
- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$0-\$50,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001-\$10 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001-\$1 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001-\$100,000 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001-\$50 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001-\$500,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001-\$100 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001-\$1 million | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001-\$500 million | <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion |

Request for Relief, Declaration, and Signatures

WARNING -- Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime. Making a false statement in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

17. Declaration and signature of authorized representative of debtor
- ☒ The debtor requests relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.
 - ☒ I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor.
 - ☒ I have examined the information in this petition and have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on 11/01/2016
MM/DD/YYYY

X Thomas L. Easley **Thomas L. Easley**
Signature of authorized representative of debtor Printed name

Title Sr. Vice President

18. Signature of attorney

X Richard Lee Fuqua II Date 11/01/2016
Signature of attorney for debtor MM/DD/YYYY

Richard Lee Fuqua II

Printed name

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Firm name

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